

Docket No.: 060188-0099

**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Hiroki HACHIYAMA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 8913
Application No.: 09/963,551	:	Group Art Unit: 2624
Filed: September 27, 2001	:	Examiner: James Thompson
For: IMAGE PROCESSOR	:	

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated January 9, 2006 and the final Office Action dated September 27, 2005, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 27, 2005, and the petition for a one-month extension of time up to and including January 27, 2006 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

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